
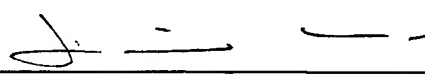


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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES		Docket Number: 0119/0024	
 Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450	In re Application of: Thomas GOSTELOW		
	Application Number: 10/643,939		Filed: August 20, 2003
	For: MEDICO-SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS		
	Group Art Unit: 3771		Examiner: Dixon, Annette Fredricka
<p>Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the examiner dated <u>December 1, 2006</u>, rejecting the following claims: <u>1, 3-13, 16 and 17</u>.</p> <p>The fee for this Notice of Appeal is (37 CFR 1.17(b)) \$ 500.00</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Credit Card Payment form PTO-2038 authorizing the charge of \$500.00 is attached</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account 50-0501. A duplicate copy of this Notice is attached.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> A petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) (PTO/SB/22) is enclosed.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> In the event that extensions of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) are required and are not otherwise provided for herewith to prevent abandonment of this patent application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Respectfully submitted,</p> <p style="text-align: right;"> _____ Louis Woo, Reg. No. 31,730 Law Offices of Louis Woo 717 North Fayette Street Alexandria, Virginia 22314 Phone: (703) 299-4090</p> <p>Date: <u>March 28, 2007</u></p> <p style="text-align: center;">(Notice of Appeal from the Examiner to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences (PTO/SB/31))</p>			

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